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IN REPLY REFER TO: 1800B3-KLJ

George Hochman Hochman-McCann Hawaii, Inc. 4339 Kalaheo Drive Kalaheo, HI 96741

In re: K246AY, Honolulu, HI

Facility ID No. 146666 Silent Since September 17, 2010

Request For Special Temporary Authority To Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Hochman:

This letter concerns the request, filed on October 4, 2010, on behalf of Hochman-McCann Hawaii, Inc. ("Hochman"), for Special Temporary Authority to permit FM Translator Station K246AY to remain silent.

Hochman's request states that K246AY went silent on September 17, 2010, due to technical problems. Hochman's request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.<sup>1</sup>

Hochman's request will be granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station K246AY to remain silent not to exceed 180 days from the date of this letter. Notwithstanding the grant of this special temporary authority, the broadcast license for K246AY will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 a.m., September 18, 2011. See Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. Section 312(g).

The station's silent status does not suspend the licensee's obligation to comply with all other relevant Commission rules, including the filing, when appropriate, of applications for renewal of broadcast license. Finally, we note that it is imperative to the safety of air navigation that any

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In the event extension of Special Temporary Authority is sought, please renew the certification in this manner.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Notification of resumption of broadcast operations must be mailed to:

prescribed painting and illumination of the station's tower shall be maintained until removed. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).

Sincerely,

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Media Bureau

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